

DEVELOPMENT OF AN ELECTRIC VEHICLE (EV) INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN FOR DELAWARE

Virtual Public Meeting #1

October 24, 2022

Introductions



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- DeIDOT — Transportation Resiliency & Sustainability
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Agenda

- Workshop Expectations
- Background: Why is an EV Infrastructure Plan Important?
- What is an EV Infrastructure Plan?
- Draft Plan Vision and Goal Areas
- Existing Conditions
- Charging Location Analysis
- Next Steps & How to Stay Involved
- Questions & Answers



Meeting Expectations

- First Public Meeting – there will be more to follow
- Why Are We Here?
 - Kick-off the planning process with members of the public
 - Begin public engagement
 - Start conversations
- How to Provide Comments or Ask Questions?
 - **Tonight**, use Zoom's Q&A function, anytime during the presentation and during the question-and-answer period, to offer comments or ask a question
 - **Anytime**, fill-out a comment form in the project's virtual room that can be accessed via the plan's website <https://deldot.gov/Programs/NEVI/>
 - **Anytime**, send an e-mail to evplan@delaware.gov

EV Infrastructure Plan Advisory Group

- DART First State
- Delaware Commute Solutions
- Delaware Electric Vehicle Association (DEEVA)
- Wilmington Area Planning Council (WILMAPCO)
- Dover/Kent County MPO
- Salisbury/Wicomico MPO (S/WMPO)
- Delaware Electric Cooperative (DEC)
- Exelon/Delmarva Power
- Delaware League of Local Governments (DLLG)
- Office of State Planning Coordination
- Healthy Communities DE
- Delaware Municipal Electric Corporation (DEMEC)
- State Chamber of Commerce
- La Esperanza
- First State Community Action Agency
- Latin American Community Center
- League of Women Voters, Transportation Committee
- Imani Energy, Inc.
- Delaware Concerned Residents for Environmental Justice
- NAACP
- The Sierra Club, Delaware Chapter

Background:
Why is an EV Infrastructure Plan Important?
Some Basics on Electric Vehicles



The EV Infrastructure Plan helps implement Delaware's Climate Action Plan

Delaware's Climate Action Plan guides state efforts to **minimize greenhouse gas emissions** and **maximize resilience to climate change impacts**.

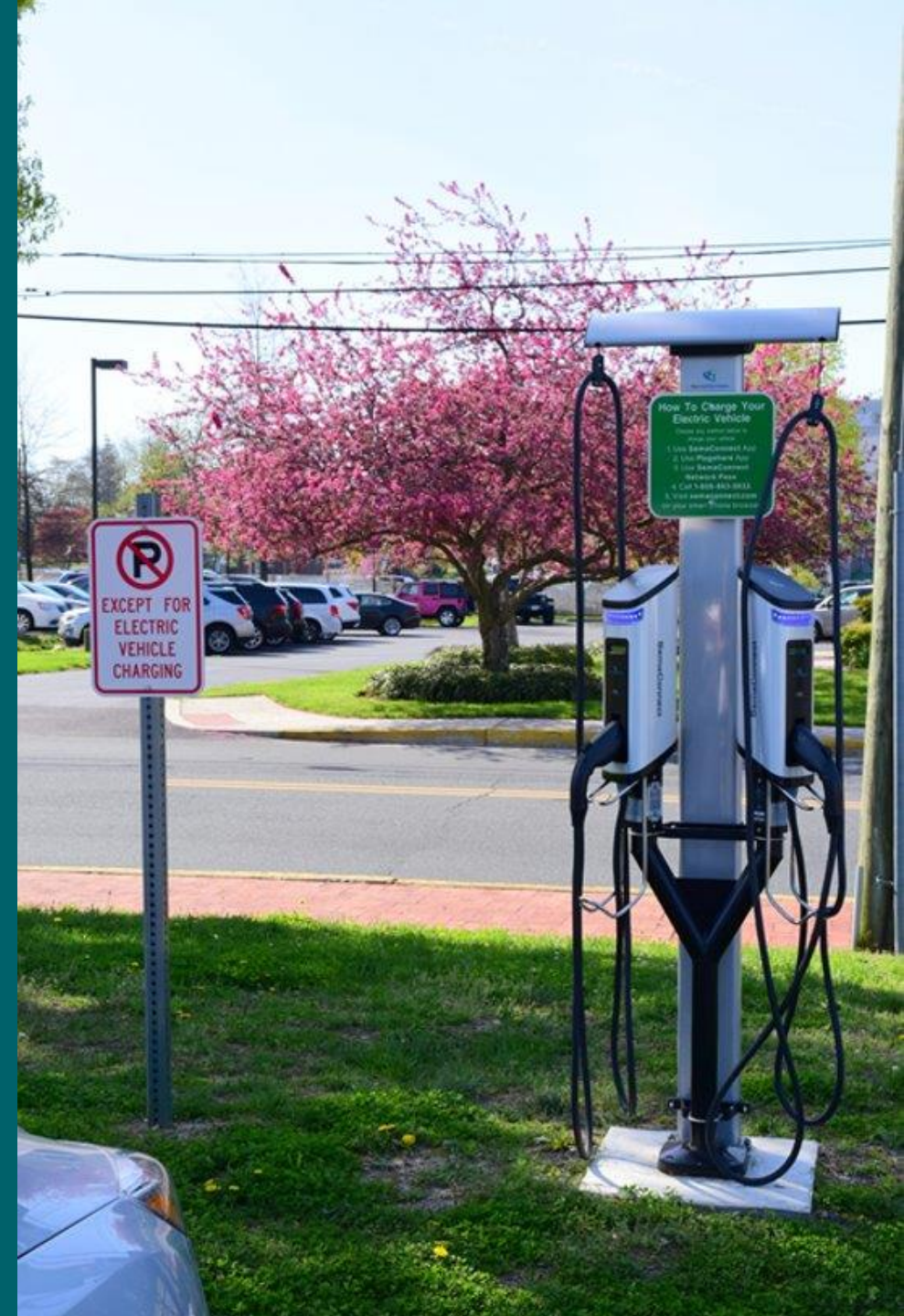
The Climate Action Plan was created to:

- Help Delaware meet its emissions reduction goal (26-28% from 2005 levels by 2025).
- Integrate emissions reduction and climate change adaptation actions.
- Set a course for state climate action in the decades ahead.

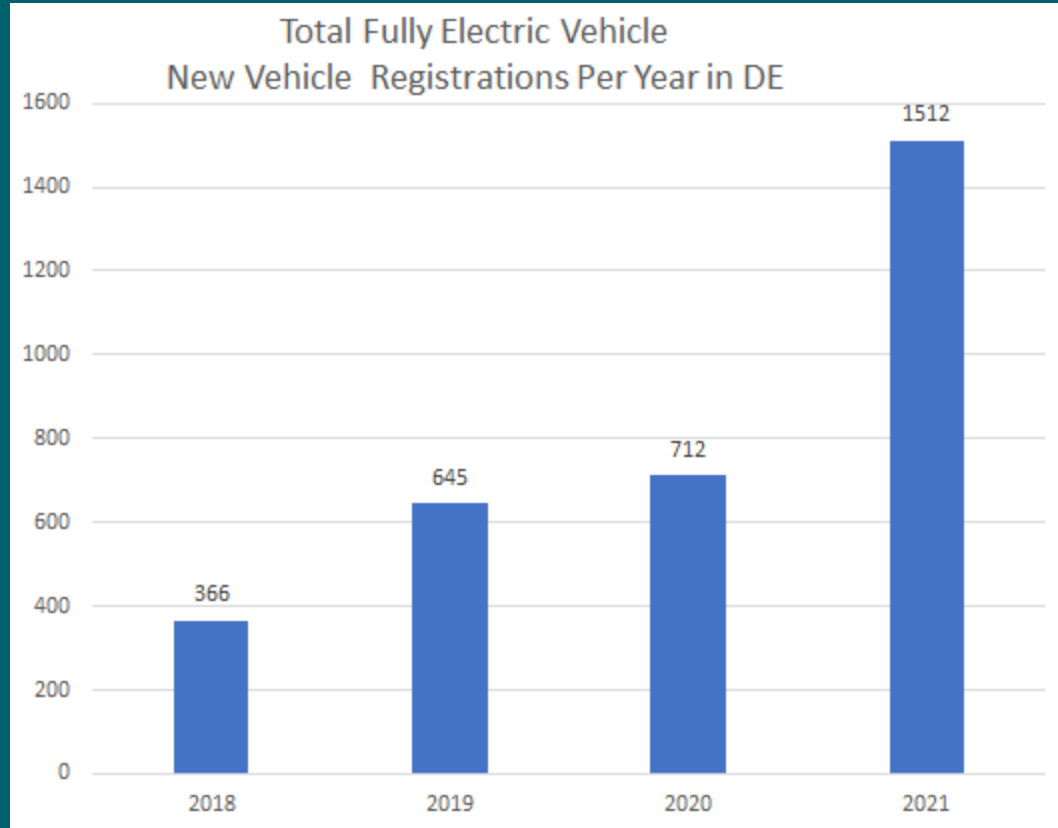


Specifically, the EV Infrastructure Plan will help support these strategies:

- Expand EV charging
- Ensure EVs contribute to grid stability
- Capitalize on EV transition to stimulate the economy and create jobs
- Strengthen consumer adoption of EVs



Delaware's Vehicular Future is Electric



DE DMV Data – May 8, 2022

- Climate Action Plan envisions 17,000 new EVs sold each year by 2030
- Governor Carney announced that DE will move to adopt Advanced Clean Cars II vehicle emission standards
- Volvo, VW, GM, Toyota, Daimler/Mercedes and others pledge to be all electric by 2030/2035

Electric Vehicle Types

Electric Vehicles: How Do They Compare?

BATTERY ELECTRIC VEHICLES



Examples: all Tesla models, Ford Mach-E, Volkswagen ID.4, Hyundai IONIQ 5, Chevrolet Bolt, Nissan Leaf

FUEL-EFFICIENT CAR CHOICES

Hybrids

Hybrid vehicles are also great choices that are fuel-efficient and better for the environment.



Plug-in Hybrid

Plug-in hybrid vehicles run on the electric motor first, then switch to gas as a backup. The battery is recharged when the vehicle brakes or is plugged in.

Examples: Chrysler Pacifica, Jeep Wrangler, Kia Niro, Lincoln Corsair/Aviator



Conventional Hybrid

Conventional hybrid vehicles have a gas engine and a small electric motor that is recharged when the vehicle brakes. The electric motor helps increase fuel-efficiency when idling, fully stopped and driving at low speeds.

Examples: Honda Accord, Toyota Prius, most newer vehicle models.

Types of Electric Vehicle Chargers

Type	Miles per hour of charging	Infrastructure Needs	Location
Level 1	3 to 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Single Phase AC• 110V/16A• Capacity of up to 19.9kW• No addt'l equipment needs	Homes and sometimes workplaces
Level 2	14 to 35	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Single-phase AC• 240V/32-80A• Capacity of 7.6-19.2kW• Needs addt'l equipment	Homes, workplaces, fleets and public charging
DC Fast Charging (DCFC)	Up to 10 miles PER MINUTE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 480V AC input• Capacity higher than 22kW• Needs high-power, special equipment	Public charging stations especially along traffic corridors

What is the State's role in EV Infrastructure?

- Provide funding
- Establish contracting mechanisms
- Identify areas where governmental policy, regulations, guidelines, or procedures may need to be changed

...But not own EV infrastructure



What is an EV Infrastructure Plan?

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- The goal of the EV Infrastructure Plan is to identify the future EV charging needs of Delaware.
- Special focus will be paid to:
 - Disadvantaged Communities (DAC)
 - Rural Areas
 - Residents of multi-unit dwellings
- Incorporates the following:
 - Assembling data on existing conditions
 - Preparing future forecasts
 - Engaging stakeholders & the public
 - Making recommendations for EV infrastructure priority areas



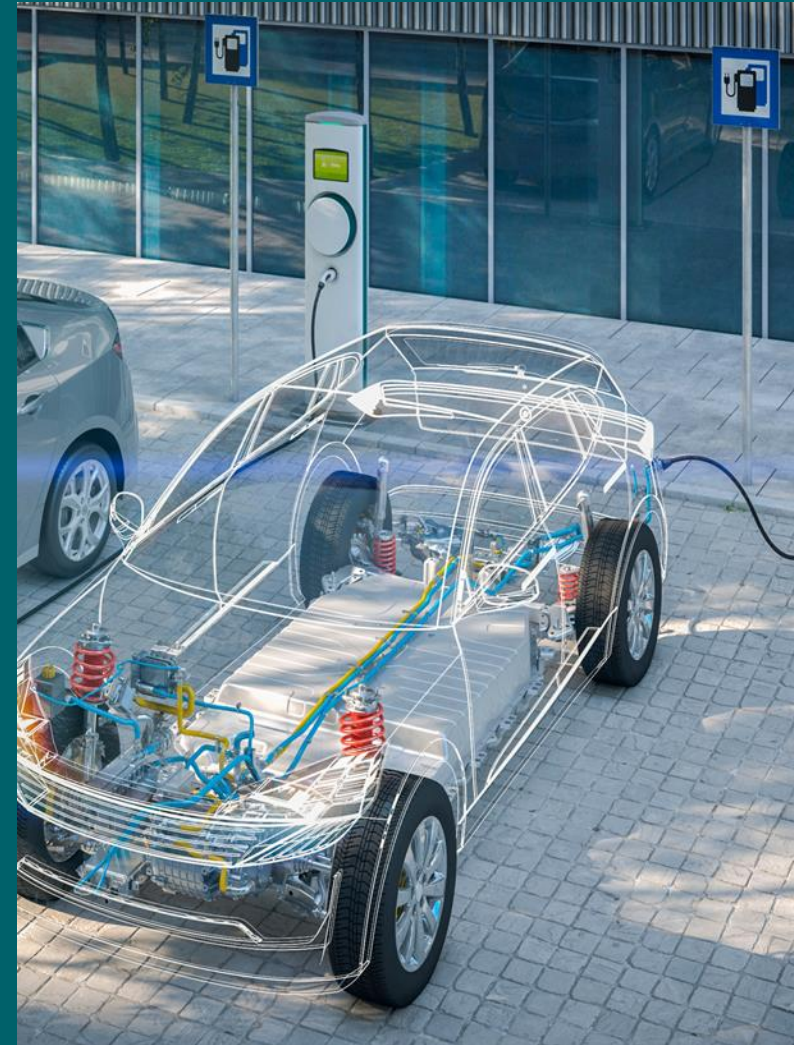
Plan Outline

- Plan Vision and Goals
- Public Involvement and Stakeholder Engagement
- Existing and Future Conditions Analysis
 - Delaware EV Market Analysis
 - Delaware EV Charging Demand Analysis
- Findings
- Deploying the infrastructure/building the future
 - Policy Barriers
 - Workforce development Needs
 - Funding Sources
- Resiliency and Sustainability

Draft Plan Vision

*Enable current and future users of electric vehicles **to confidently travel** in and across Delaware for work, education, recreation, and exploration.*

Do you have any feedback or suggestions?

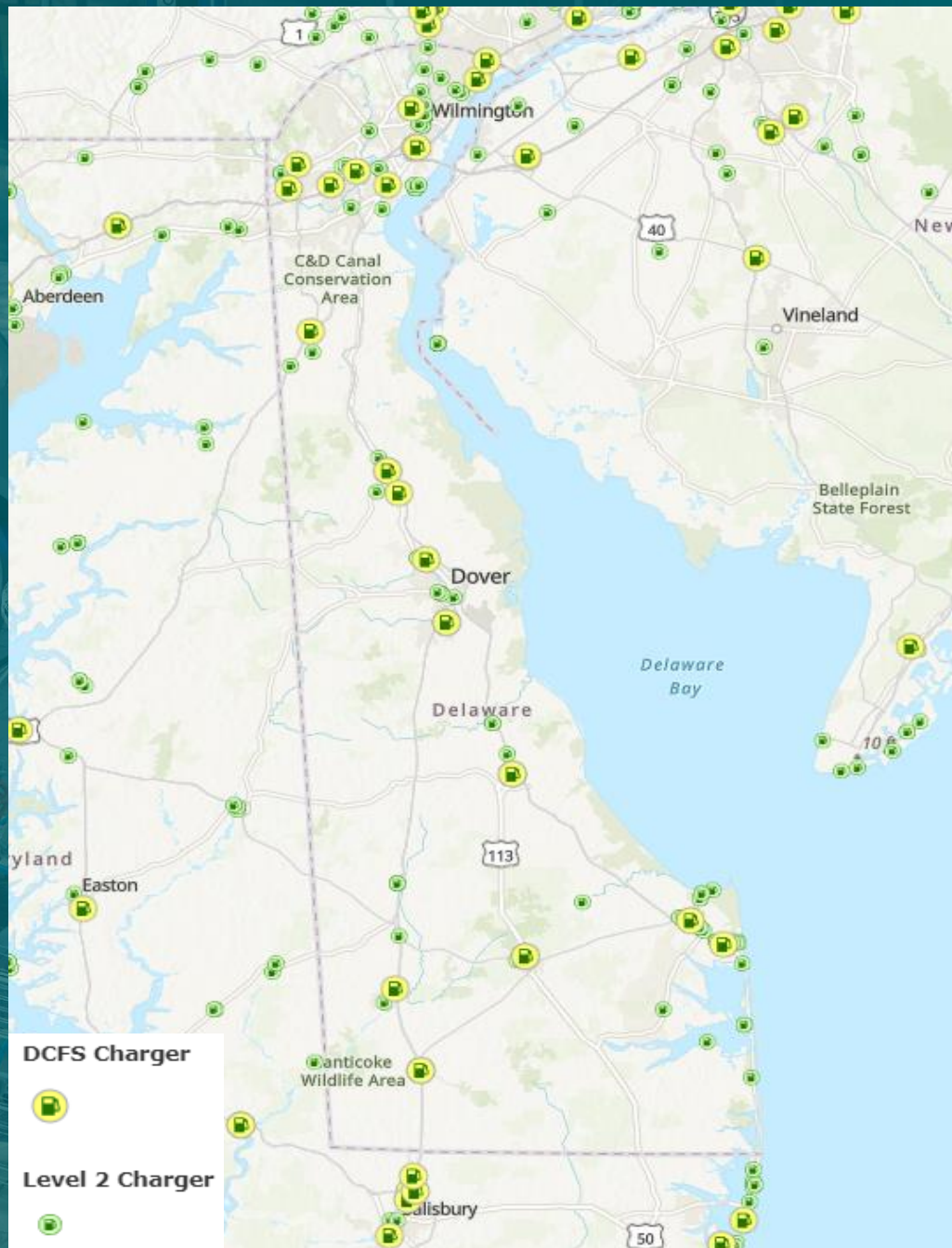


Draft Plan Goal Areas – Do you have any feedback or suggestions?

- **Equity:** ensure that rural, underserved, and disadvantaged communities, including suppliers and contractors, are engaged and realize plan benefits
- **Reliability:** develop a reliable, convenient, affordable, and equitable EV infrastructure network in Delaware for all users
- **Connections:** connect Delawareans and travelers in Delaware to EV chargers to support an electric transportation future
- **Education:** develop outreach materials on electric vehicles, good charging habits, station location, station usage, equipment capability, and how to provide feedback on the network; use social media and apps
- **Evaluation:** develop a framework to collect data and evaluate the plan over time; refine and update as needed

Existing Conditions

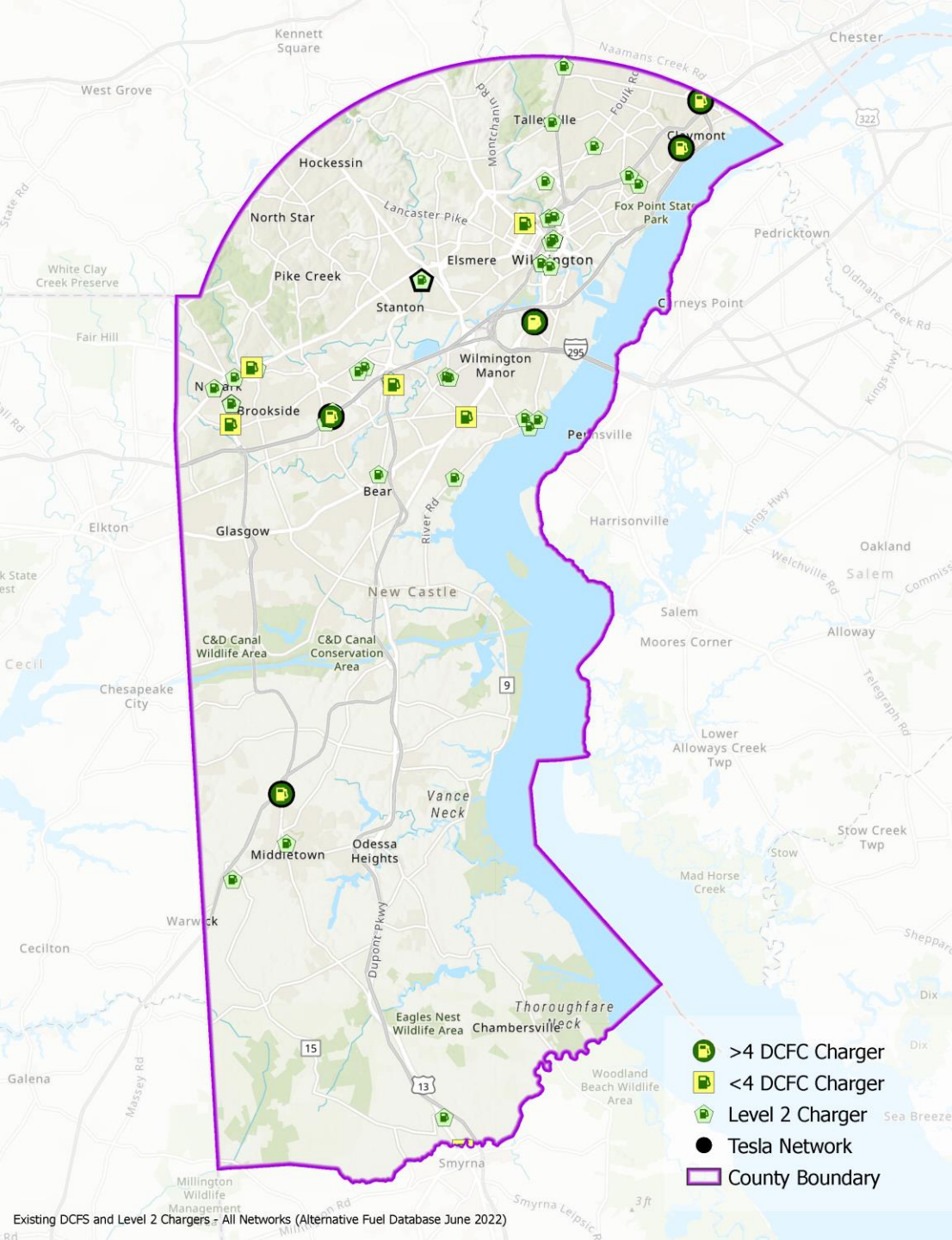




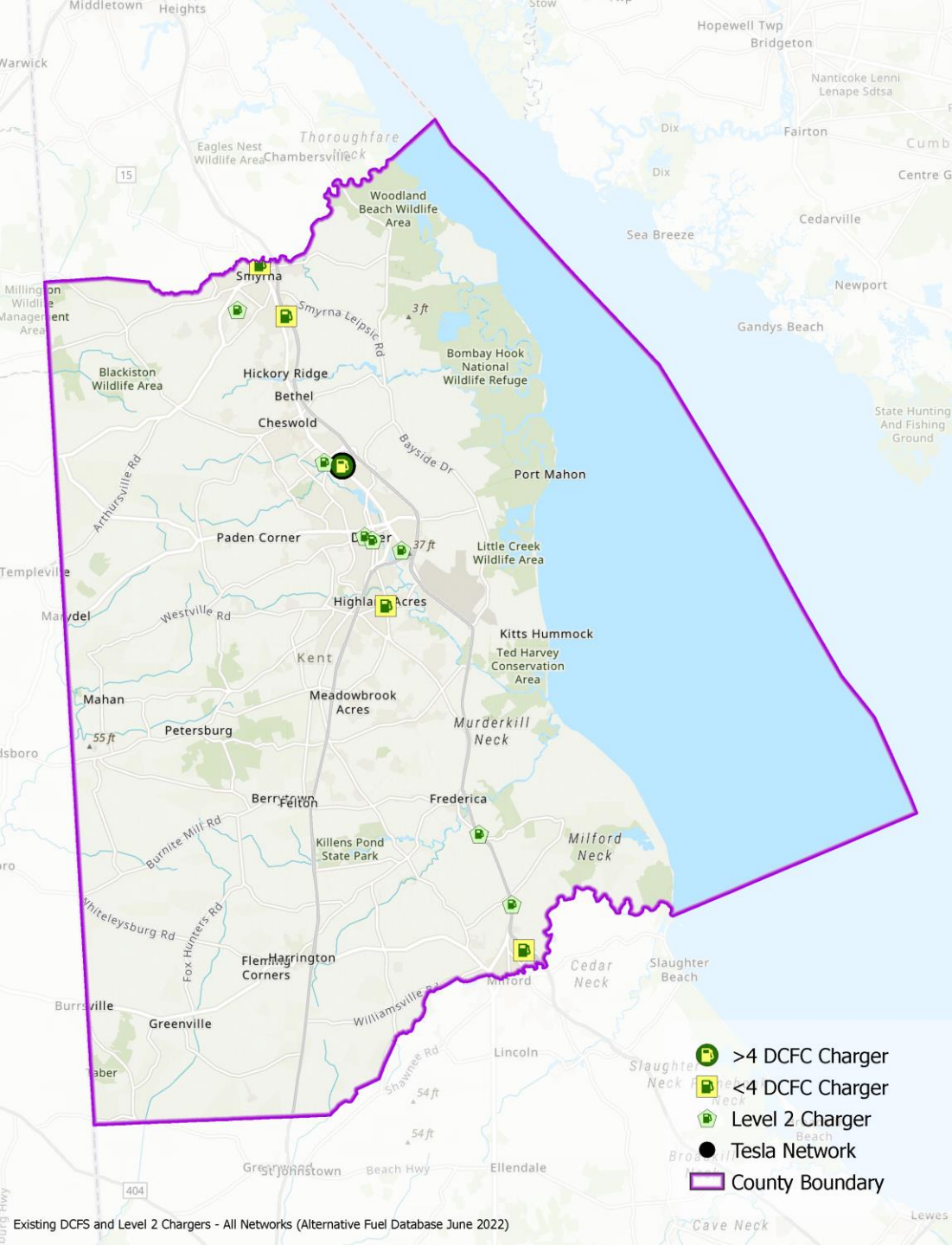
Existing Charging Infrastructure

- 25 DCFC locations, 97 ports
- 108 Level 2 locations, 229 ports

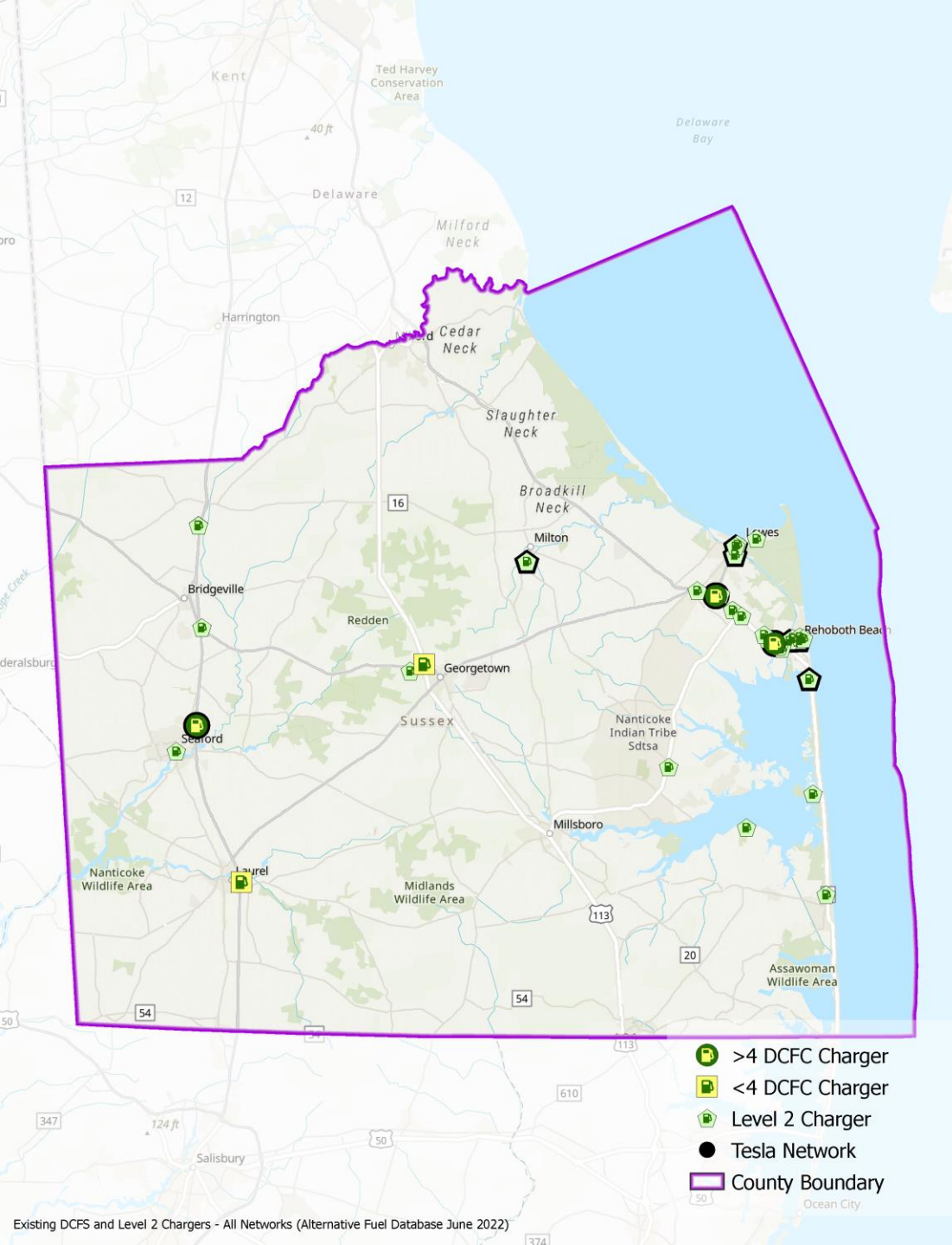
New Castle County Existing Network



Kent County Existing Network



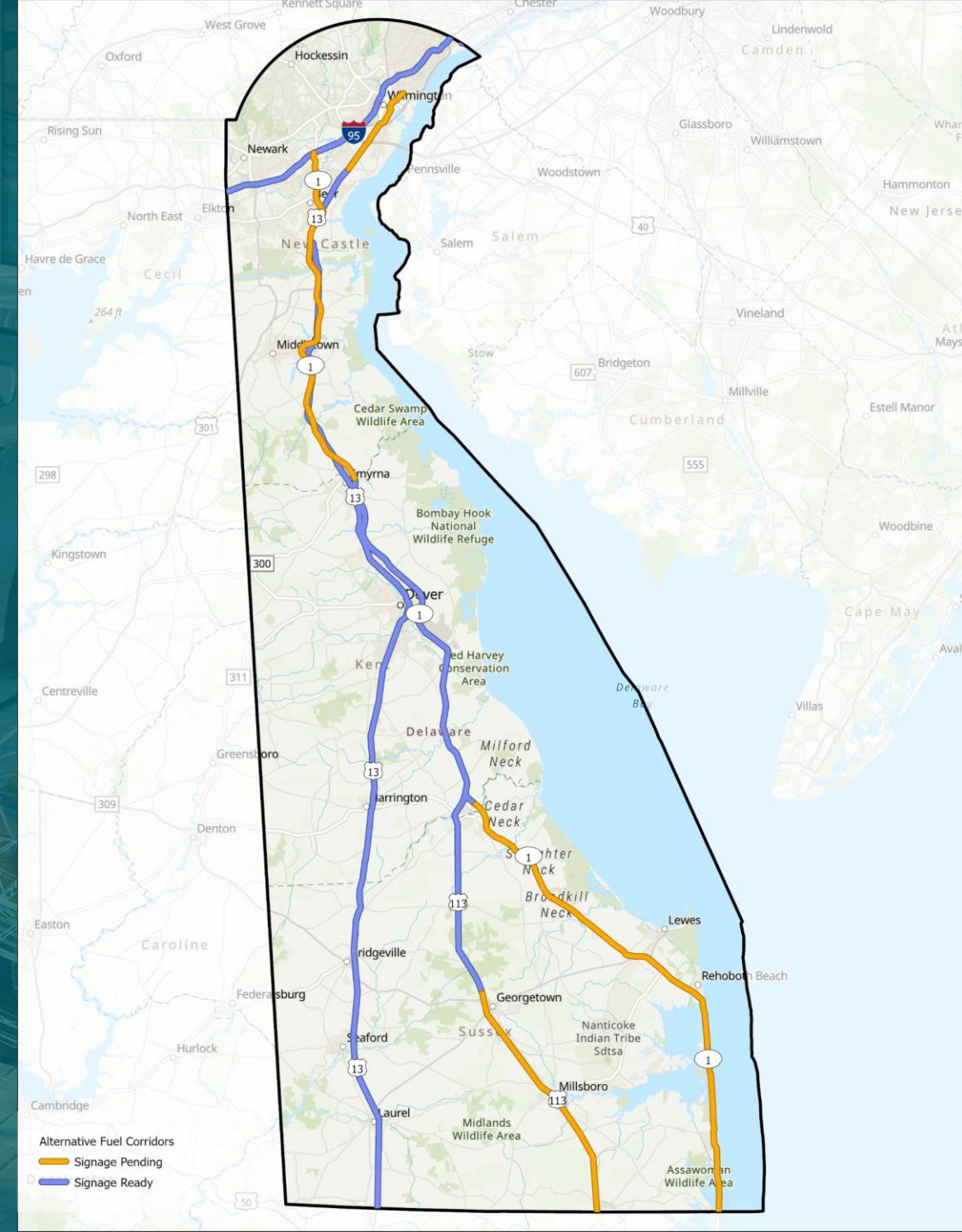
Sussex County Existing Network



Existing Conditions: Designated Alternative Fuel Corridors (AFC)

AFC Routes:

- I-95
- I-295
- DE-1
- US-13
- US-113

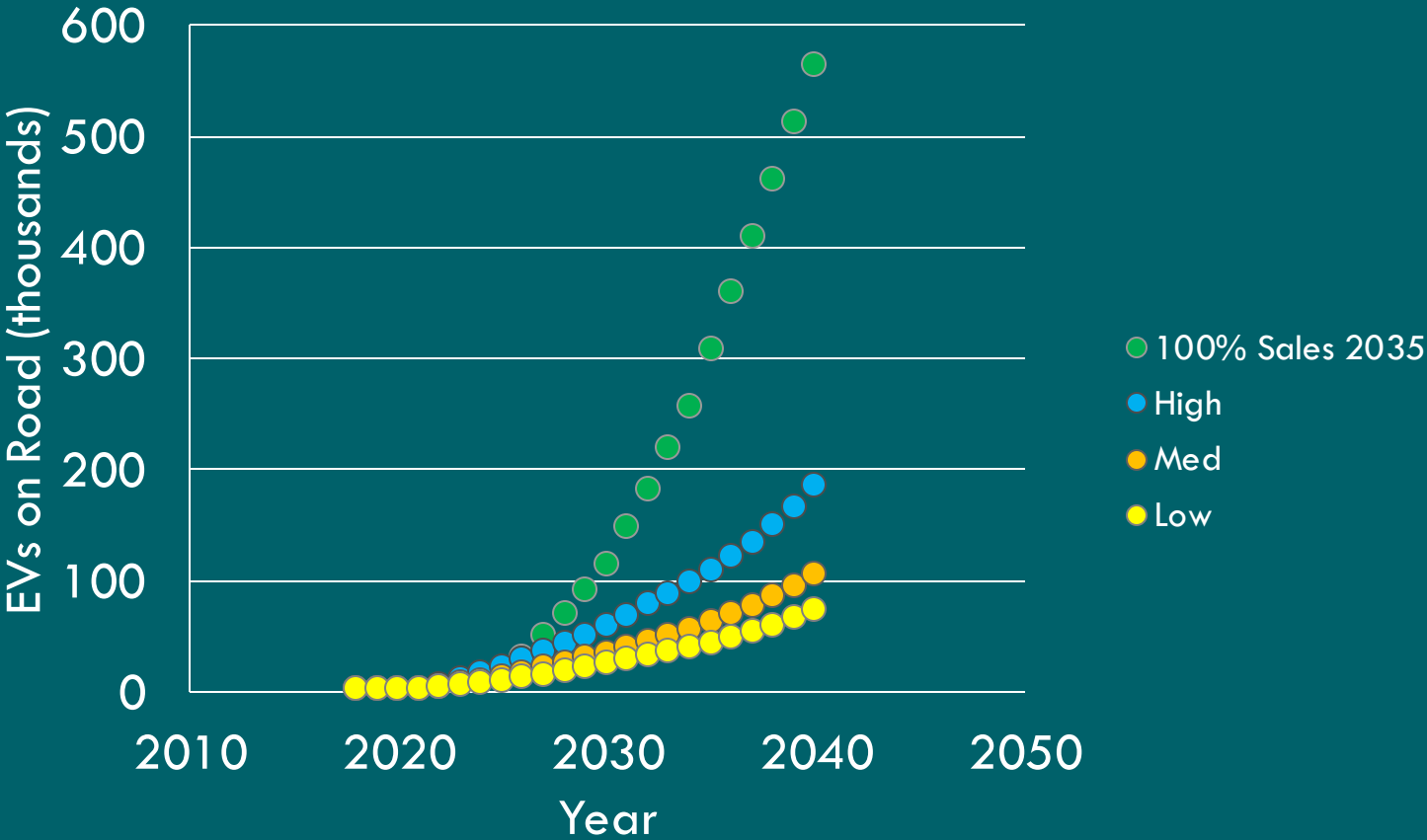


The background image shows a light blue electric car parked at a charging station. A white wireframe overlay is applied to the car, revealing its internal mechanical components, including the battery pack, motor, and suspension. The car is positioned on a paved surface, and a charging station with a cable is visible behind it. The entire scene is overlaid with a semi-transparent teal color.

Charging Location Analysis

EV Adoption Scenarios

EV Population Forecast - Delaware



100% EV Sales 2035	2025	2030	2035
% EV Sales	6.6%	44.7%	100%
% EV Pop.	1.3%	11.7%	31.7%
High	2025	2030	2035
% EV Sales	11.8%	16.7%	20.8%
% EV Pop.	2.2%	6.1%	11.1%
Med	2025	2030	2035
% EV Sales	6.6%	9.5%	11.8%
% EV Pop.	1.3%	3.5%	6.4%
Low	2025	2030	2035
% EV Sales	4.6%	6.6%	8.2%
% EV Pop.	0.9%	2.5%	4.5%

Location Analysis Methodology



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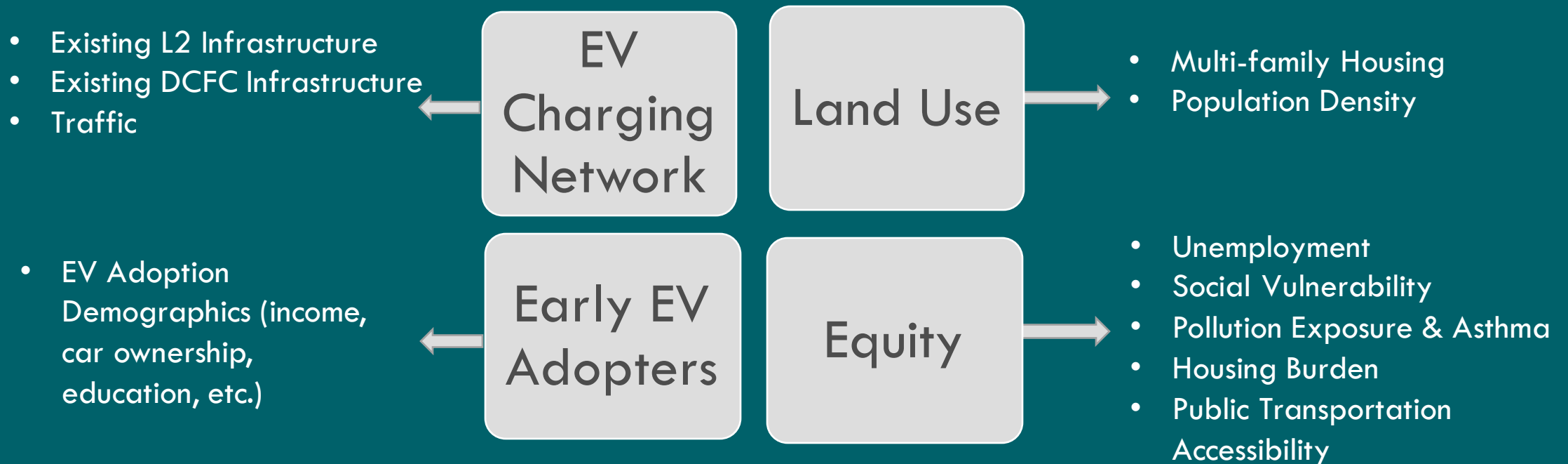
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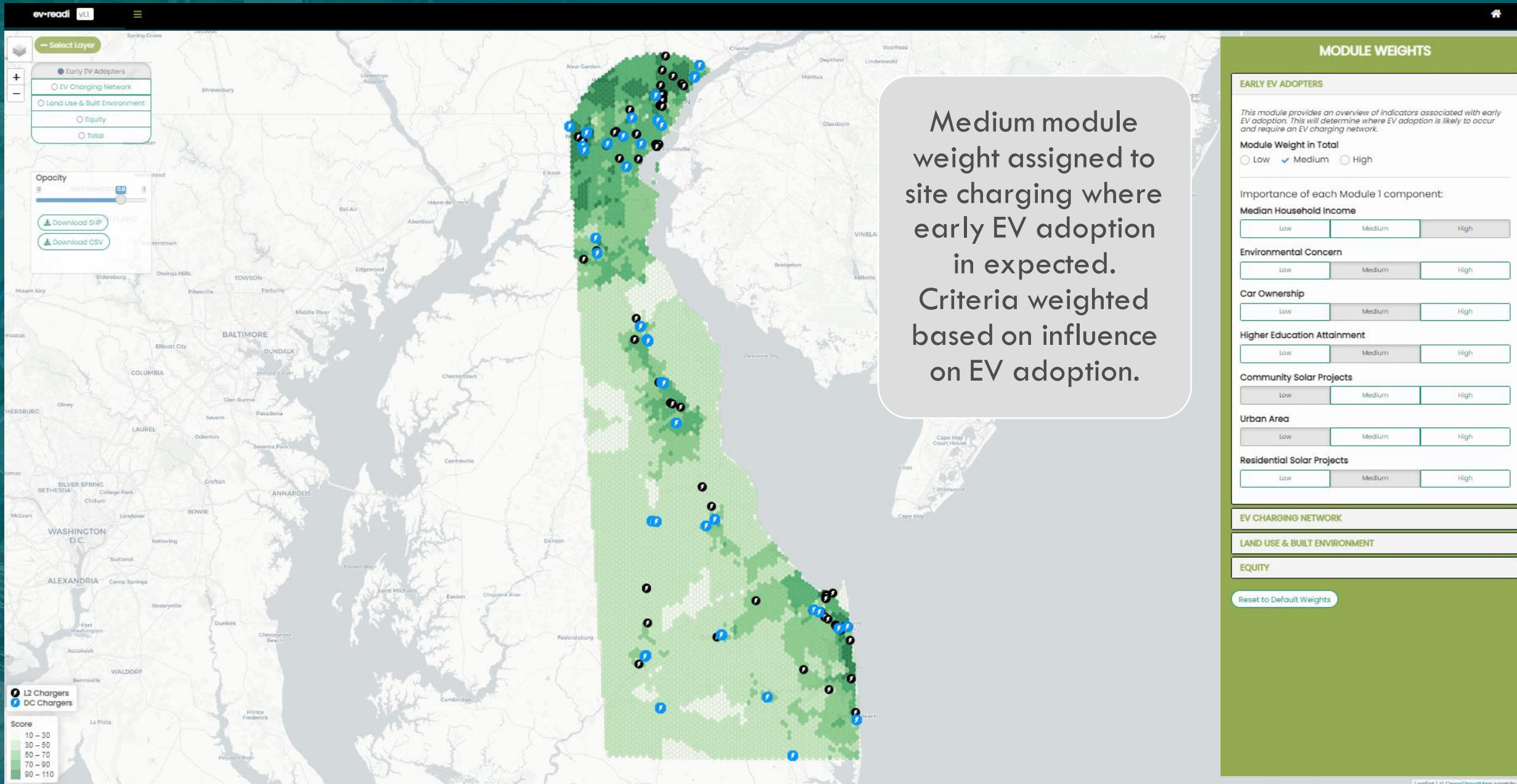
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Identifying Priority Areas

- Each criteria and module can be weighted to align with state priorities.

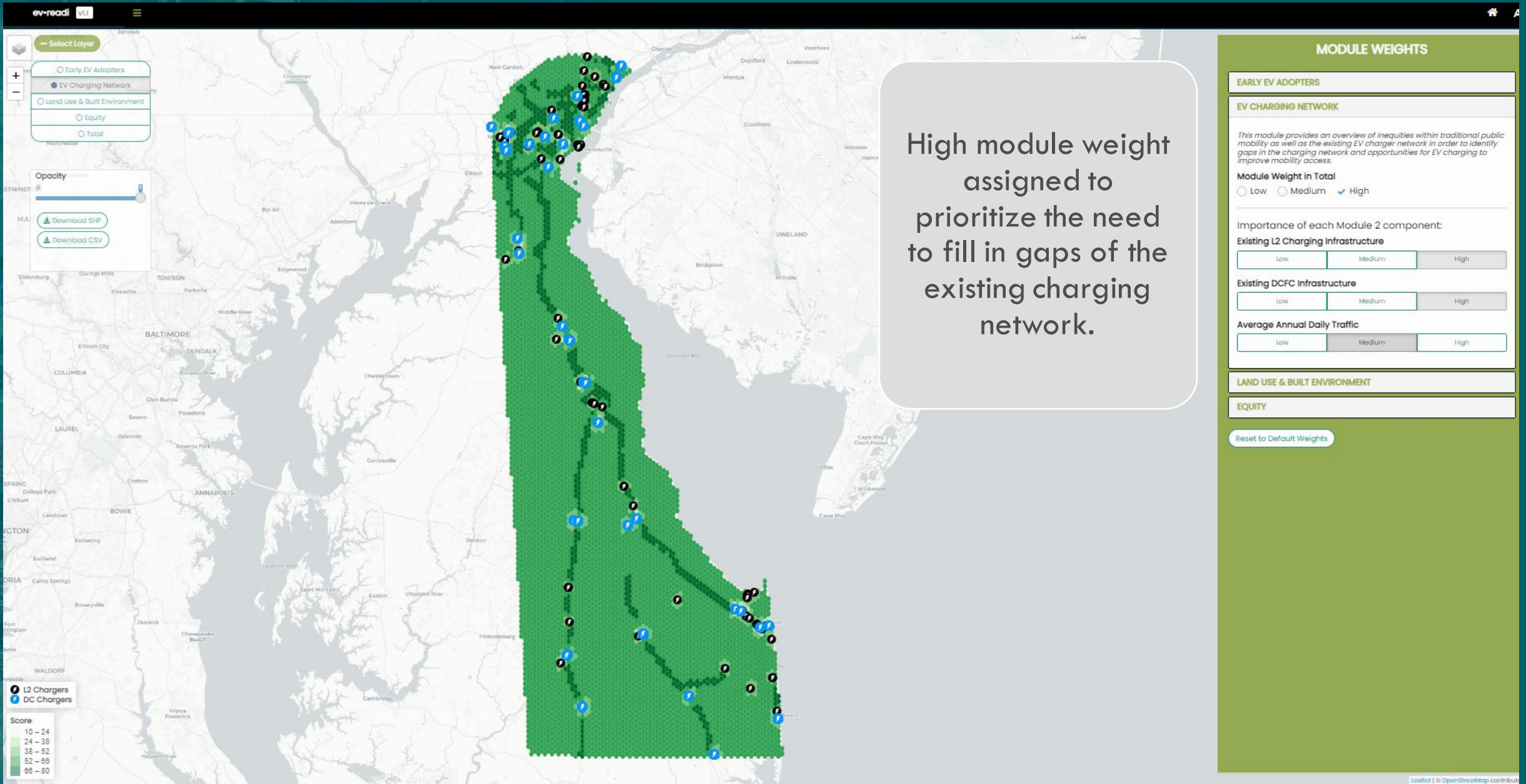


Early EV Adopters

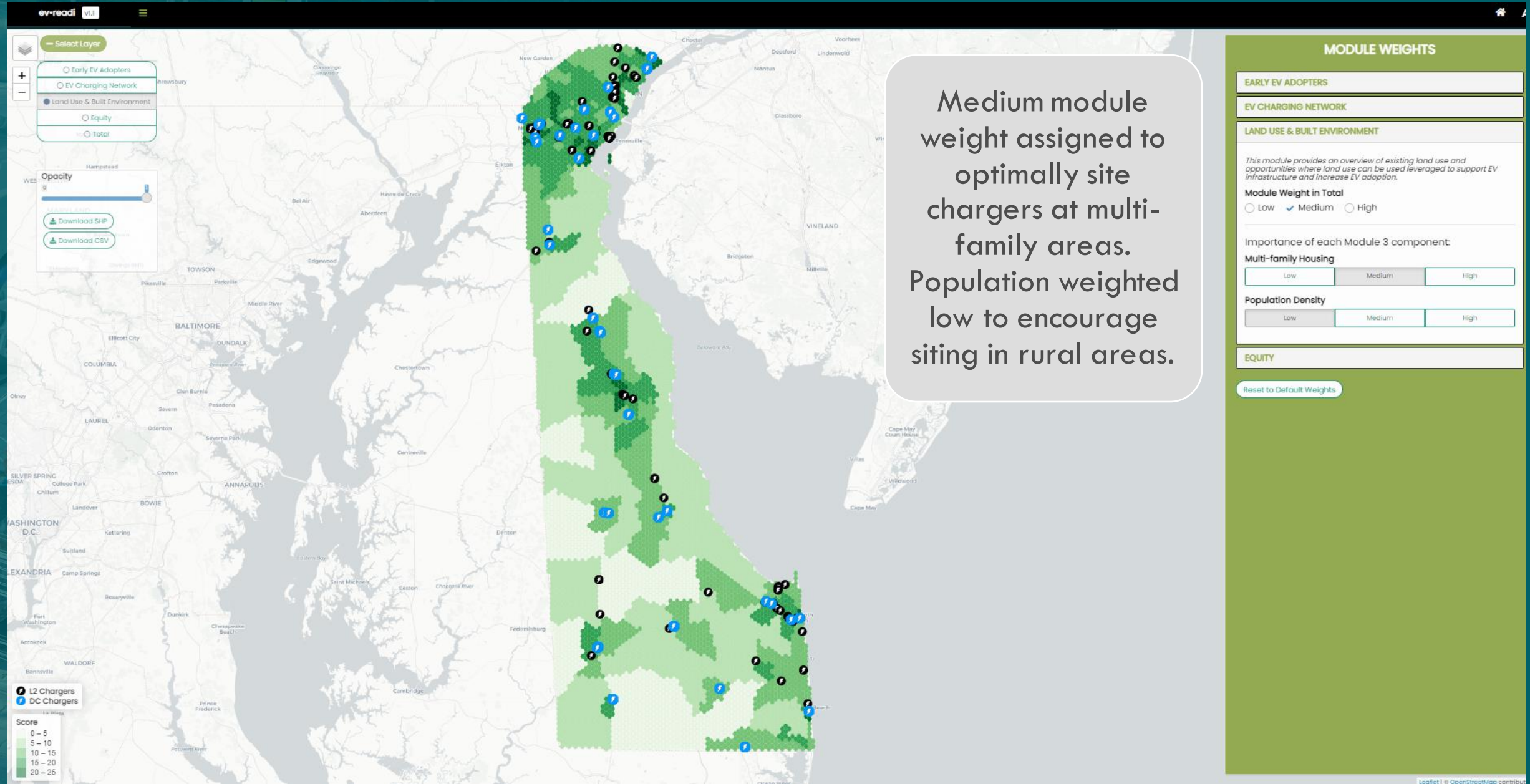


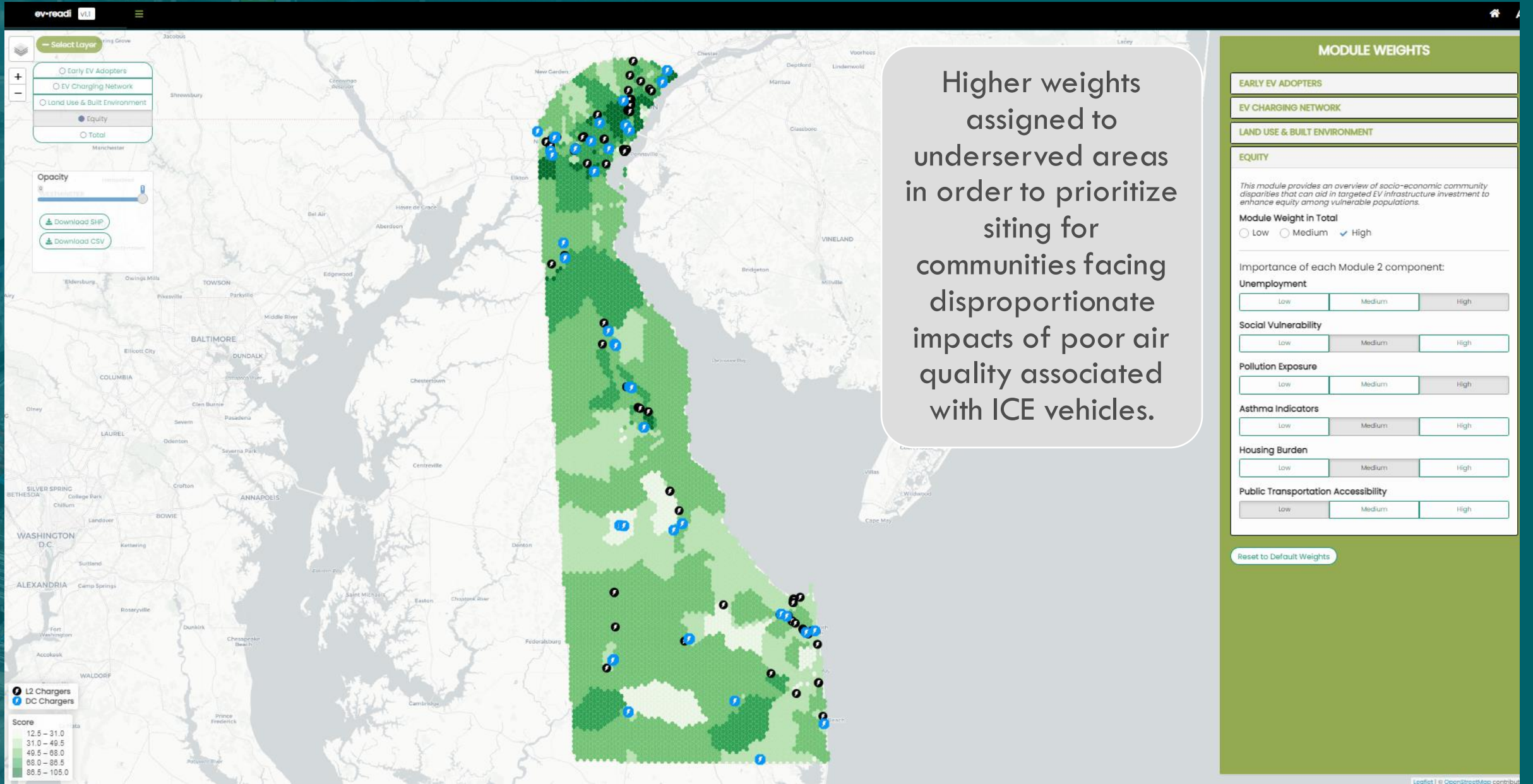
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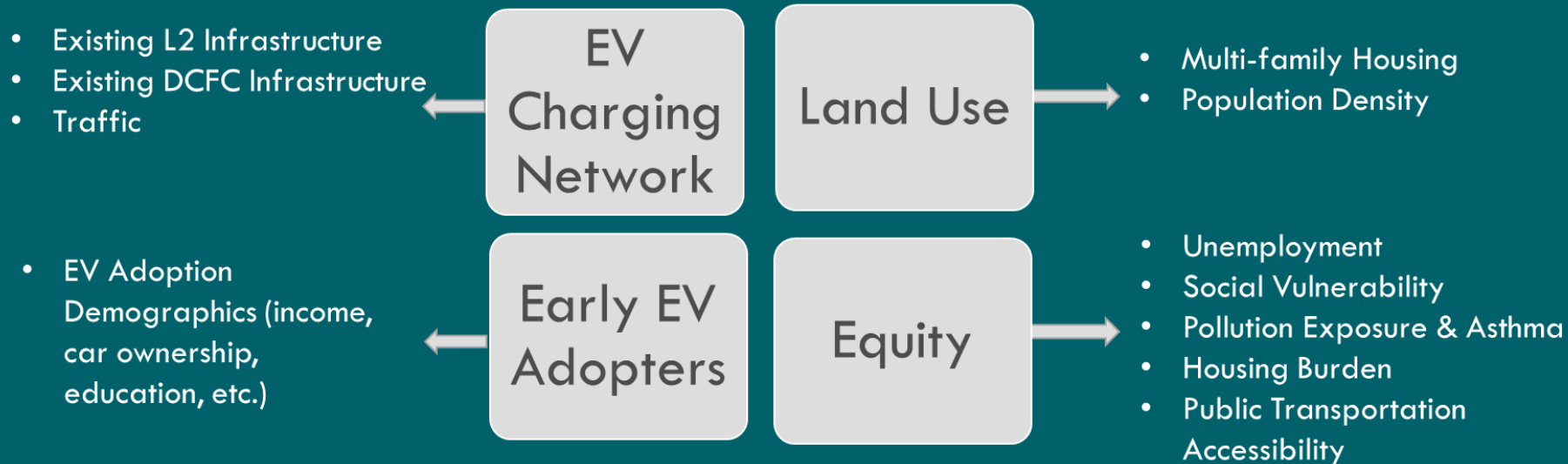


Land Use & Built Environment



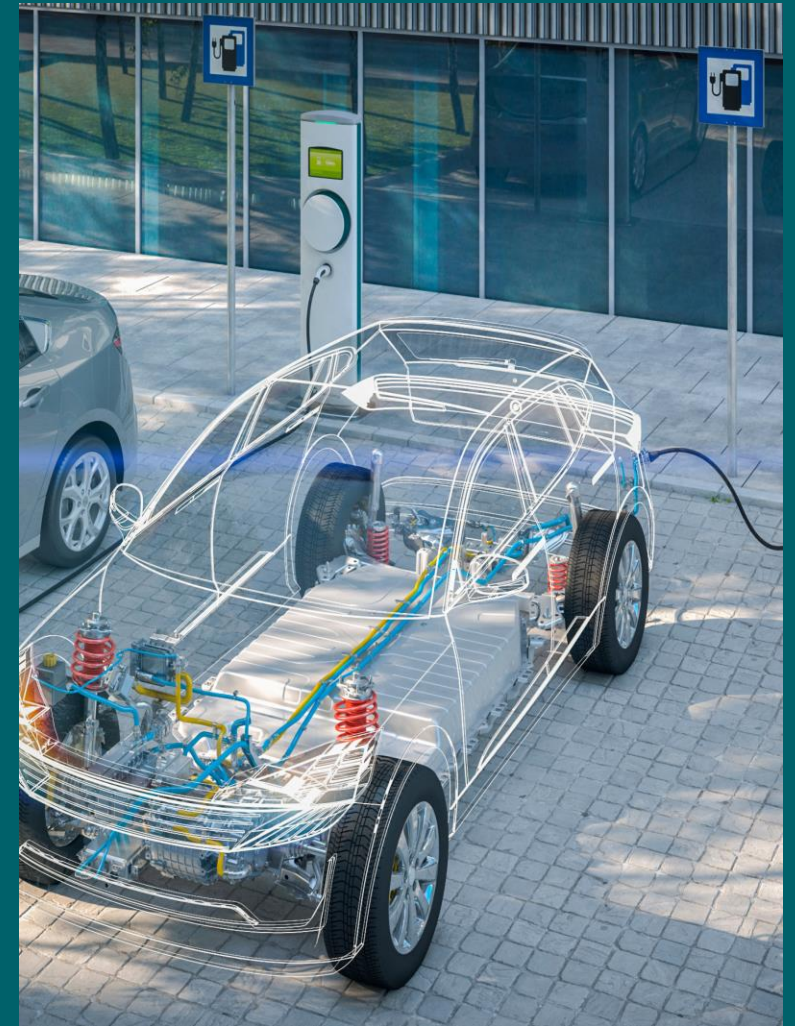


What do you think is the most important?



Next Steps

- Review feedback received and incorporate
- Continue analysis and mapping for the EV Infrastructure Plan
- Share at next virtual Public Meeting this winter



How to Stay Involved

Visit & View

- Visit the EV plan's website, <https://deldot.gov/Programs/NEVI/>
- View the displays in the EV plan's virtual room

Complete or Send

- Complete an online comment form in the virtual room and include your email address
- Send an email with a comment, suggestion or question to evplan@delaware.gov

Attend

- Attend the next virtual public workshop in the winter

Questions & Answers

Use Zoom's Q&A function

Thank you for joining the Online Informational Meeting on the Delaware Statewide EV Infrastructure Plan!

The next presentation will begin at 6:00pm.

Visit the EV Infrastructure Plan's website at
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